

FOREST ORDER
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PIKE AND SAN ISABEL NATIONAL FORESTS
CIMARRON AND COMANCHE NATIONAL GRASSLANDS
Leadville Ranger District

Occupancy and Use Restrictions
Ski Cooper/Tennessee Pass Nordic Center

Pursuant to 16 U.S.C. § 551 and 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(a), the following act is prohibited on the National Forest System (NFS) lands within the Pike and San Isabel National Forests Cimarron and Comanche National Grasslands Leadville Ranger District in Lake County, Colorado, described below and shown on the attached map incorporated into this Order as Exhibit A (“Restricted Area”).

The Restricted Area is those portions of the Ski Cooper permitted area within Lake County, as well as NFS lands within 500 feet of the Nordic ski and snowshoe trails maintained by the Tennessee Pass Nordic Center, south of Lake County Road 29. These lands are located in the following portions of Township 8 South, Range 30 West, 6th P.M.:

Section 10, the SE1/4 of the SE1/4 of the SE1/4
Section 11, the S1/2 of the SW1/4
Section 13, the S1/2
Section 14
Section 15, the E1/2
Section 23, the N1/2, and the NE1/4 of the SW1/4, and the NW1/4 of the SE1/4
Section 24, the N1/2 of the N1/2

This Order is necessary to protect public safety and ski area permitted property.

PROHIBITIONS:

Using any over-snow vehicle, including snowmobiles, within the Restricted Area.
36 C.F.R. § 261.56.

EXEMPTIONS:

Pursuant to 36 C.F.R. § 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

- (1) Persons with Forest Service Permit No. FS-7700-48 (Permit for Use of Roads, Trails, or Areas Restricted by regulation or Order) specifically exempting them from this Order;
- (2) Any Federal, State or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or firefighting force engaged in the performance of an official duty; and

(3) Employees, contractors or subcontractors of Ski Cooper and Tennessee Pass Nordic Center in performance of their official duties.

This Order shall become effective when signed and remain in effect until rescinded, or for five years, whichever event occurs first.

Done at Pueblo, Colorado.

DIANA M. TRUJILLO
Forest and Grassland Supervisor
Pike and San Isabel National Forests
Cimarron and Comanche National Grasslands

Violation of the prohibitions in this Order is punishable as a Class B misdemeanor, by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization, or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months, or both. 16 U.S.C. § 551, and 18 U.S.C. §§ 3559 and 3571.